AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

- 1. (original) Banner (1) with a banner rod (5) which can be coupled to an aircraft (2) via a banner spider (4) and a tow rope (3), characterized in that there are at least two disks (10) on the banner rod (5).
- 2. (original) Banner as claimed in claim 1, wherein the disks (10) are round.
- 3. (previously presented) Banner as claimed in claim 1, wherein the disks (10) are pivotally mounted on the banner rod (5).
- 4. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in claim 1, wherein the disks (10) are located, especially pivotally mounted, on the ends of the banner rod (5) next to [[the]] two lengthwise edges of the banner (1).
- 5. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in claim 1, wherein the disks (10) on either side [[bear]] have running disk

flanges (13) and via $\frac{\text{them}}{\text{said}}$ flanges (13) sit $\frac{\text{with a turning}}{\text{capacity}}$ on the outer surface of the banner rod (5).

- 6. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in claim 1, wherein to secure the position of the disks (10) on either side of the disks (10) or the running disk flanges (13) connected to them there are brackets (14) further comprising brackets (14) that secure the running disk flanges on either side of the disks (10).
- 7. (original) Banner as claimed in claim 6, wherein the brackets (14) are connected to the banner rod (5).
- 8. (original) Banner as claimed in claim 7, wherein the brackets (14) are attached to the banner rod (5) using screws (15) which pass through the banner rod (5).
- 9. (previously presented) Banner as claimed in claim 1, wherein there is a weight (19) on one end of the banner rod (5).
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- 11. (previously presented) Banner as claimed in claim 9, wherein the end of the banner rod (5) provided with weight (19) is lengthened by a dive hose (18).
- 12. (previously presented) Banner as claimed in claim 9, wherein the weight (19) and the dive hose (18) are connected to the banner rod by a screw (19) which passes through the banner rod (5).
- 13. (previously presented) Banner as claimed in claim 2, wherein the disks (10) are pivotally mounted on the banner rod (5).
- 14. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in claim 2, wherein the disks (10) are located, especially pivotally mounted, on the ends of the banner rod (5) next to [[the]] two lengthwise edges of the banner (1).
- 15. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in claim 3, wherein the disks (10) are located, especially pivotally mounted, on the ends of the banner rod (5) next to [[the]] two lengthwise edges of the banner (1).
- 16. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in claim 2, wherein the disks (10) on either side [[bear]] have running disk

flanges (13) and via them said flanges (13) sit with a turning capacity on the outer surface of the banner rod (5).

- 17. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in claim 3, wherein the disks (10) on either side [[bear]] <u>have</u> running disk flanges (13) and via them <u>said flanges (13)</u> sit with a turning capacity on the outer surface of the banner rod (5).
- 18. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in claim 4, wherein the disks (10) on either side [[bear]] <u>have</u> running disk flanges (13) and via them <u>said flanges (13)</u> sit with a turning capacity on the outer surface of the banner rod (5).
- 19. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in claim 2, wherein to secure the position of the disks (10) on either side of the disks (10) or the running disk flanges (13) connected to them there are brackets (14) further comprising brackets (14) that secure the running disk flanges on either side of the disks (10).
- 20. (currently amended) Banner as claimed in claim 3, wherein to secure the position of the disks (10) on either side of the disks (10) or the running disk flanges (13) connected to them there are brackets (14) further comprising brackets (14)

that secure the running disk flanges on either side of the disks (10).